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SUBJ: EXIMBANK BANK GUARANTEE FOR SALE OF AIRCRAFT TO AGENCE

ET MESSAGERIES AERIENNES DU ZAIRE (AMAZ)

REF: STATE 226525

1. EMBASSY DISCUSSED MATTER SALES THREE MU2J AIRCRAFT TO AMAZ WITH RAYMOND LINARD, AMAZ'S MANAGING DIRECTOR. HE SAID NEGOTIATIONS FOR PURCHASE AIRCRAFT HAVE BEEN UNDER WAY FOR 30 MONTHS. SAID COMMERICAL UNION BANK OF MEMPHIS WAS PREPARED TO FINANCE TRANSACTION OF NOT LESS THAN TWO MILLION DOLLARS. WAS SURPRISED TO LEARN THAT PRICE AIRCRAFT WITH SPARES NOW THREE MILLION DOLLARS INSTEAD OF TWO MILLION AT TIME HE MADE ORIGINAL INQUIREY. IN VIEW OF DIRE NEED FOR FEEDERLINE AIRCRAFT LINARD PREPARED TO BUY MU2J'S ASAP, WHICH HE CLAIMS ARE SUITABLE AND ADAPTABLE TO LOCAL CONDITIONS. HE IS PREPARED TO MAKE DOWNPAYMENT 10 PERCENT TOTAL PURCHASE COSTS.

2. EMBASSY HAS NO POLITICAL OR OTHER OBJECTIONS, AND WELCOMES SALES SUCH AIRCRAFT TO ALLEVIATE
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TO SOME EXTENT INTERNAL TRANSPORTATION DIFFICULTIES.

AIR ATTACHE AND ZAMISH PERCEIVE NO OBJECTIONS TO
PENDING TRANSACTIONS.
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